



E-911 Services Board Meeting

Work Session

February 12, 2015



Agenda

1. Welcome and Level Setting
2. Overview of the NG9-1-1 Feasibility Study
3. Implementation Strategy
4. Identified Priorities and Timeline
5. Work Session Wrap Up



Welcome and Level Setting





Statewide ESInet Benefits

- Speeds access to Text-to-911
- Enables enhanced redundancy / backup PSAP flexibility
- Improves interoperability / data sharing among PSAPs, especially for PSAP-to-PSAP call transfer
- Allows for efficiencies through centralized solutions and retiring of expensive, legacy technologies



Overview of the NG9-1-1 Feasibility Study





Operational Feasibility

- Staffing study to support ESI net
- State contracts
- Concept of NG9-1-1 ready
- Act regionally with purchases
- Regional Advisory Council introduced
- Standards and best practices for NG9-1-1
- Performance metrics
- Situational awareness and mission continuity plans



Technical Feasibility

- Overall question to be answered:
 - State-level ESInet, regional ESInets, or regional ESInets interoperate with state-level ESInets, and other ESInets
- Implement a Geospatial Data Exchange (GDX) in conjunction with a Spatial Database Management System (SDBMS) to enable usage of best available data
- Synchronization of the MSAG with the GIS centerline and address point data



Policy Considerations

- Expanded role for state coordination and E-911 Services Board, as well as rulemaking (enforcement)
- Changes in Board representation
- Regional Advisory Council make recommendations for rulemaking
- Elimination of cost recovery and transfers
- Sustainable funding model
- Enhanced role of Regional Coordinators



Economic Feasibility

- A technology solution should be selected and a comprehensive cost estimate developed for the transition to NG9-1-1 as well as ongoing operations and maintenance costs
- Existing surcharges and taxes alone may no longer be adequate to fund both a legacy 9-1-1 system and a transition to next generation services
- PSAP Grant Guidelines



Implementation Strategy





Guiding Principles

- 9-1-1 is an essential, local/regional service
- Need to address ALL of 9-1-1 not just NG
- Full stakeholder engagement is needed
- Services must be not be degraded
- Economies need to be leveraged
- Doing nothing is NOT an option



Approach

- Report contains 141 recommendations
- Determined priority
- Identified those chronologically first
- Grouped into “themes”
- Estimated resources required
- Completion by July 1, 2016



Governance/Legislative

- Total of 58 recommendations
- 28 to be addressed in first year
- Decision maker education
- Explicit designation of 9-1-1 as essential and local service
- Role of the Board and Coordinator
- Not Board composition or Advisory Council
- Rulemaking Authority



Rulemaking

- More holistic and address the enforcement of standards
- Needs to be broader than NG9-1-1
- 9-1-1 rulemaking needs to focus on E-911 and NG9-1-1
- The Board should be responsible for enforcement to compel compliance



ESI Net Design/Pricing

- Total of 21 recommendations
- 3 to be address in the first year
- Requirements Definition
- Options Evaluation
- Request for Information



Best Practice/Standards

- Total of 10 recommendations
- 3 to be addressed in first year
- Identify and prioritize necessary best practices/standards for NG-911
- Areas of consideration
 - QA/QC for 9-1-1 system and Call Handling
 - Public Education
 - Training and certifications
 - EMD



Geospatial Foundation

- Total of 2 recommendations
- One to be addressed the first year
- NG-911 Data Standards
 - Road Centerline
 - PSAP Boundaries
 - Emergency Response Zones
 - Authoritative Boundaries
 - Address Points
- ALI/MSAG Analysis



PSAP Grant Program

- Total of 14 recommendations
- 7 to be addressed in the first year
- Require NG-911 Compatible Equipment
- Statewide Equipment Contracts
- Regional Encouragement
(CPE/CAD/Logging)



Funding

- Total of 29 recommendations
- None to be addressed in first year
- Sustainability
- Collection methodology
- Rate amount
- Fund transfers
- Formulas
- Need ESI Net design and pricing first



March 12 Actions

- Direct the PSAP Grant Committee to advance Study recommendations within the FY2017 PSAP Grant Guidelines
- Direct the Policy Committee to address Study recommendations for Governance and Legislative changes
- Direct Staff to begin work on ESI Net requirements and best practice development



Priority List and Timeline





Working Outline

- Agreement on Priority List and timeline
 - Comparison to Migration and Transition Plan included in Feasibility Study
- Establish 2015 Work Plan
 - Funding analysis, RFIs, and other items
- 9-1-1 Comprehensive Plan
- Annual Report
 - Propose legislative agenda
- Master Plan



Work Session Wrap Up

